

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of Akihiro MATSUNAGA, Akira NATORI  
FOR: THIN-PROFILE CONNECTOR HAVING A COVER WHICH CAN BE READILY OPERATED AND  
RELIABLY LOCKED IN A CLOSED STATE

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ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☒ 8 sheet(s) of formal drawing(s)  
☐ sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)  
☒ an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to  
JAPAN AVIATION ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY, LIMITED  
☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 for the following application(s):  
Japanese No. A 2696751/2002 filed September 17, 2002  
☐ a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.  
☒ a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course.  
☐ Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

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| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS  | 1 - 3   | 0            | X \$ 42.00 | \$ 0.00  |
| BASIC FEE (\$750)   |   |              |            | \$ 0.00  |
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required at any time during the prosecution of this application without specific authorization, except for the Base Issue Fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2468. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
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☐ the filing fee  
☒ the filing fee and the Assignment recordal fee.  
☒ Other Information Disclosure Statement

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